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## SUDDEN SUMMONS OF DEATH COMES TO COL. LAKE GREEN.

Expires At His Home At Falls of Rough Monday  
At Noon Without Warning.

WAS PROMINENT IN POLITICAL AND BUSINESS CIRCLES  
AND HIS DEATH A GREAT LOSS TO MANY SECTIONS.

Col. Lake Green, one of the most widely known and influential men in this part of the State, died suddenly at his home at Falls of Rough Monday at noon of heart disease.

Col. Green had been in failing health for two years, though his death came as a great shock to his wide circle of acquaintances and from all sides a deep feeling of regret is expressed at the loss his death has caused, not only in the community in which he lived, but to all sections.

In public life Col. Green's influence was felt and at one time he was a potent factor in the political affairs of the State. Years ago he served a term in the State Senate from this district, then composed of the counties of Breckenridge, Grayson and Meade. He represented Grayson county in the Legislature one term. After his retirement from active public life he did not let his interest in affairs wane.

In business life Col. Green's capacity was resourceful and his success was phenomenal. But few men are endowed with the gift he possessed of making capital out of everything he turned his hand to.

The town of Falls of Rough was virtually owned by Col. Green and in his death it has lost a benefactor. He conducted a large general merchandise store, and was the owner of a flourishing flouring mill and two saw mills. He was interested in other enterprises of the town.

Col. Green's land interests were extensive, and he was one of the largest land owners in the State. He owned several farms, aggregating about 6,000 acres, the greater portion of which is in a high state of cultivation. The timber lands alone have netted him a fortune. He was a lover of fine stock, as one could see on a visit to his farms.

Col. Green's home has been the scene of many brilliant social affairs. He entertained lavishly and had been host to many prominent people. A lover of company, guests at his home were frequent. The poor and the rich fared sumptuously with him and he was loved and respected by all classes.

Col. Green was seventy odd years of age and was a widower. He is survived by three sons and a daughter—Willis, Preston, Robert and Miss Jennie Green.

The remains were conveyed to Frankfort yesterday and interred in the cemetery there beside those of his wife.

## DEATH OF J. TIPTON CONNOR

Infirmities of Old Age Remove  
Most Valuable Citizen.

Mr. J. Tipton Connor, formerly a resident of this vicinity and one of the best known and most respected citizens, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Joshua Groves, of Rome, Ind., on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Connor was in his eighty-second year and death was due to infirmities incident to old age. He had been in failing health for some time.

Mr. Connor was born in Perry county and came to Cloverport from Rome, Ind., with his wife, many years ago. He purchased a farm about three miles from town and lived there until a few years ago, when his wife died. He then disposed of his home place and has since been living with his children.

There was no more popular man in Breckenridge county than Mr. Connor. He was a devout member of the Methodist church. The burial was at Rome on Thursday.

Those of his children who are living are Mrs. Dan Schank, of Hardin Grove, Ind.; Mrs. Joshua Groves, of Rome, Ind.; Mrs. J. Edwin Murr, of Charlestown, Ind.; Robert Connor, of Corydon, Ind.; and Orville Connor, who is principal of the Normal School at Terra Haute, Ind.

Mr. Connor's grandfather, Gen. Samuel Connor, was a soldier in the war of 1812 and fought at the battle of Tippecanoe. He died in 1866 at the age of eighty-six. His grandfather, Lawrence Connor, fought in the Revolutionary War. The two elder Connors settled at Rome in 1806. Lawrence Connor crossed the mountains into Kentucky before the beginning of the last century.

## MYSTERY

SURROUNDS DEATH OF  
SHELBY T. TRIPLETT

Found Unconscious On Street In  
Louisville and Dies In City  
Hospital—May Be Murder.

Mystery still surrounds the death of Mr. Shelby T. Triplett, of Garfield, this county, who was found unconscious in an alley in Louisville two weeks ago and who died Saturday week at the City hospital.

Murder is the theory advanced by the Louisville police and they are at work in the case.

The evening before Mr. Triplett was found unconscious he had gone to Louisville from his home at Garfield to dispose of a large quantity of tobacco. He had sold a portion of it but had not received the money. He spent the day about the warehouses and it is the supposition that while on his way to a hotel after dusk he was assaulted by some one who knew that he disposed of considerable tobacco.

At the hospital Mr. Triplett was operated on, but without effect. It was found that some of his intestines had been ruptured.

The body was brought to Garfield on Wednesday and buried there.

Mr. Triplett was the junior member of the firm of Richardson & Triplett, tobacco buyers at Garfield, and was well-known and popular throughout the county. Besides extensive dealings in tobacco he was a prosperous farmer.

Mr. Triplett leaves a wife, one daughter, Mrs. John F. Morton, of this city, and five sons.

Mr. Morton, son-in-law of Mr. Triplett, was summoned to Louisville by the police the latter part of last week to assist in ferreting out the case. Mr. Morton says that only about ten dollars are missing from the person of Mr. Triplett when he was found, which was about all the money he had in his pocket and a Mason.

When the cold winds dry and crack the skin a box of salve can save much discomfort. In buying salve look for the name on the box to avoid any imitation. Be sure you get the original Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by all druggists.

## GUSTON GIRL A BRIDE.

Reuben Beauguard, Of Missouri,  
Wins Heart and Hand of  
Miss Katie Smith.

Last Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock the marriage of Mr. Reuben Beauguard to Miss Katie Smith, took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Smith on Newton Avenue, Rev. D. T. Simmons, of the Methodist church officiating.

The wedding was the consummating of a romance which began about a year ago while Miss Smith was here from Guston, Ky., spending the winter with her brother, G. E. Smith. Promptly at the appointed time the bride and groom entered the parlor which was tastefully arranged and decorated with Bride's roses, and with ribbons drawn from the chandelier and reaching to the four corners of the room. The bride, carrying a bouquet of Bride's roses, and dressed in white tulle and silk, entrained, posed beautifully near her gallant affianced while the sweet cords of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by Mrs. G. E. Smith, died away as the impressive ceremony began.

Following the ceremony an elegant four course dinner was served in the handsome dining room adorned with pretty ribbons drawn from the chandelier and tied in bowknots hanging gracefully over bouquets of Bride's roses on the table.

A number of beautiful and useful presents were bestowed.

The bride, is a comparative stranger in Eldon society, but a charming young lady of winning ways and modest discriminating character gaining warm friends during her few months' stay here. Mr. Beauguard is one of Eldon's most enterprising business men. He came here from Panhandle, Texas, five years ago, on the special train which brought the contractors for the construction work on the Rock Island, and with Mr. Salisbury purchased the Eldon Bakery. By thrift and good business sense he has made the undertaking a success and still has at his command a strong grocery, culinary and novelty trade. His business methods and gentlemanly character has made him a popular friend with all.—Eldon Advertiser, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Smith, of Guston, parents of the bride, attended the wedding.

Mr. June Elder, living near town, is low of consumption and little hopes are entertained that he will long survive.

## IRVINGTON ITEMS.

A Variety Of News Notes That  
Tell Of the Town's Doings.

Irrington, Ky.—Nicholas Netherton has purchased the Dave and Frederick Bishoff places, which are located in the northern part of the town, and will erect a handsome residence on same.

Mrs. Andrew Hook (nee Bettie St. Clair), died at her home in West Point last Sunday of erysipelas. Her remains were interred Tuesday in Cedar Hill cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Edwin Graves from the Presbyterian church.

The Cumberland Telephone Co. have changed their office to the Biggs Hotel. Miss Essie Biggs will take charge of the board.

Quite a party of young people enjoyed a moon-light hay ride to Dowell's pond Monday night, where skating was a real pleasure and happiness to all. The party was composed of Misses Ellen Mumford, Essie Biggs, Willa Drury, Lillie McGlothlin, Nannie Wathen, Mabel and Eva McGlothlin, Jessie Brady, Lucile Cunningham, Mrs. Dolly VanMeter, Messrs. Lewis Jolly, A. B. Suter, David and George Herndon, Clayton Claycomb, Roland Smith, Dr. Moorman, Carl Bennett, Joe Piggott and Banks Drury.

The Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of the Baptist church met in the comfortable parlors of Mrs. T. N. McGlothlin Tuesday afternoon. A goodly number was in attendance. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Robert McGlothlin, the meeting was ably led by Mrs. Bate Washington. A most interesting program was carried out.

Mr. and Mrs. Pomp McCoy's sale of household belongings came off last Saturday as per advertised. Every article brought fairly good price. They will leave shortly for Owensboro to make that place their future home.

Miss Mary Joe Mattingly and Mrs. Pate attended a teachers' examination at Hardinsburg Tuesday of last week.

Miss Lillie McGlothlin left Tuesday for a trip to Louisville.

Mrs. W. J. Piggott and son, Joe Walter, left for Indianapolis Tuesday.

Business is resuming its usual trend again. Trains are making schedule time. The high waters are receding, and every line of work is progressing.

## IF YOU TOUCH your tongue to ALUM

and look in the glass—you will see the effect—  
You can't help puckering—it makes you pucker  
to think of tasting it.

By the use of so called cheap Baking  
Powders you take this puckering, injurious Alum  
right into your system—you injure digestion  
and ruin your stomach.

## AVOID ALUM

### Say plainly—

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Royal is made from pure, refined Grape Cream of Tartar—Costs more  
than Alum but you have the profit of quality, the profit of good health.



## WHEAT OR NO WHEAT

That Is the Question That Is  
Agitating the Farmers Along  
the River Bottoms.

It is not known to what extent wheat in the river bottoms has been damaged by the overflow, as the waters have not receded sufficient to ascertain the disastrous effects. At present the consensus of opinion among farmers is that the extent of the injury will be enormous, if the destruction is not total.

The farmers claim that the mild winter preceding the flood had so far advanced the crop that the stalks were probably broken and the sediment had covered the plant and smothered it. This is only surmise, however, as nothing definite regarding the condition of the submerged crop can be learned for the present. On the other hand, it is stated that if the plants are not too far advanced in growth and the receding of the waters should be immediately followed by a warm rain, that he overflow will be a blessing.

Farmers say they have known instances when an overflow was a God-send to the growing wheat, but at other times the effect has been just the reverse.

## SNOW A BLESSING TO WHEAT.

Young Plants Are "As Snug As a  
Bug In a Rug."

The snow beat the cold wave here just in time to cover the young wheat plants and protect them from a freeze. The growing crop is just at the stage where a zero spell would come near putting the tender plants out of business. Ordinarily snow does not add to the farmer's delight, but we venture to say that the present fall was a visit most pleasing to him.

## Died Sunday Night.

Mattie Green, colored, died of consumption, Sunday night at the home of her father, Mack Green. For seven years she cooked for Mrs. J. E. Keith and was most faithful to her duties. The funeral was held Monday afternoon.

Food don't digest? Because the stomach lacks some one of the essential digestants or the digestive juices are not properly balanced. Then, too, it is this undigested food that causes sourness and painful indigestion. Kodol For Indigestion should be used for relief. Kodol is a solution of vegetable acids. It digests what you eat, and corrects the deficiencies of the digestion. Kodol conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold here by all druggists.

## LITTLE COAL

### AND NO GAS.

Flood Came Near Putting Clover-  
port In Cold Storage.

Cloverport was threatened with a fuel famine for a few days while the river was tearing up things, but the situation has been relieved by the falling of the waters, which has allowed the resumption of railway traffic.

No gas has been in evidence in the last few days. The pipes have frozen.

## Cloverport Men Entertained.

Mr. Edward Dickey, of Elizabethtown, gave a luncheon at the Vienna on Wednesday. The following were his guests:

Messrs. J. T. Mattingly, Harry P. Coniff, J. C. Sipple, F. C. Whitehouse, Wm. M. Coniff, R. W. Wathen, of Cloverport, John J. Coniff, and Harry C. Gans, of Owensboro.—Louisville Times.

If you are Constipated, dull or bilious, or have a sallow lifeless complexion, try Lax-ets just once to see what they will do for you. Lax-ets are little toothsome Candy tablets—nice to eat, nice in effect. No griping, no pain. Just a gentle laxative effect that is pleasantly desirable. Handy for the vest pocket or purse. Lax-ets come to you in beautiful lithographed metal boxes at 5 cents and 25 cents. Sold by Severs Drug Company.

## Died at Patesville

Mrs. Frank Clark died at her home at Patesville on last Thursday, of consumption, aged about forty-five years. The body was buried at Patesville on Friday. Mrs. Clark was a widow and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deterding.

## Mr. Lynch Moves Here.

Mr. Wm. Lynch moved his family here from Mattingly this week to make this place their home. They will live in the Oelze property on the hill. Mr. Lynch is connected with the Cincinnati Cooperage Company and is a business man of high standing.

## Norton-Lanman.

Raymond, Ky., Jan. 29. (Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Norton announce the engagement of their daughter, Sylvia, to Mr. Ezra Lanman. The wedding will take place Wednesday afternoon, February the sixth, at two o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. Miss Norton is a lovely young girl and Mr. Lanman is well known.

**CASTORIA.**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Beware the  
Signature  
of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

## HOW HAWESVILLE

### GOT HER BOOZE

When Train and Boat Traffic  
Ceased Wagons Toted It  
Across Country.

Hawesville got her booze all right. Hawesville came near having a booze famine last week, caused by the flood, but Cloverport averted the catastrophe, by furnishing it in wagon loads.

Good old Cloverport, with all her faults Hawesville loves her still.

The rivers may rise so the boats can't run, the rains may washout the railway tracks, Uncle Sam may not be able to have his mails transferred, and passenger and freight traffic may be at a standstill, but Hawesville must have her booze—and she got it. What though the boats ceased to ply and the trains did not run, wasn't Hawesville thirsty for a dram, and there were horses that could pull and wagons to tote, and roads to haul it over. Well, that is the way Hawesville got her booze.

Cloverport had the booze and Hawesville had the thirst, and when the local supply of the stuff that paints men's noses gave out and the floods stopped railroad and boat traffic some enterprising and accommodating (?) saloonkeeper had an idea; it could be toted in wagons across the country from Cloverport. And Hawesville got her booze.

But let it be said to Hawesville's credit that she does not endorse the liquor traffic, as was shown in the local option election last fall when Hawesville and Hancock county went dry. It was just some fellows who wanted to put in full time during the last days of the saloon. Anyhow, Hawesville got her booze.

## ONCE INLAND TOWN

### NOW ON OHIO RIVER.

Owensboro, Ky., Jan. 27.—Stanley, an inland town of Daviess county a few days ago, to-night lies on a river which runs before the village stores. The bank of the Ohio river has broken and water is flowing in a torrent through Stanley to Green river, a distance of fifteen miles. The finest farms in Daviess county are being washed away. Stanley is two miles from the Ohio river and 12 miles from Green river.

Clear up the complexion, cleanse the liver and tone the system. You can best do this by a dose or two of DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Safe, reliable little pills with a reputation. The pills that everyone knows. Recommended by all druggists.